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FYI only. No action required.

-Davina

From: Matthew Berdyck [mailto:mberdyck@gmail.com]
Sent: Friday, June 16, 2017 4:55 AM
To: Marraccini, Davina <Marraccini.Davina@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Wilmington

Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process

On Thu, Jun 15, 2017 at 7:22 AM, Matthew Berdyck <mberdyck@gmail.com> wrote:

Thank you for getting back to me so quickly

I don't have a deadline per se. I'm at my own leisure to publish. I'm just wondering how long it's going to be before the EPA has made a determination about the status of the Gen X issue, and which contractor is performing the testing. If I am remembering correctly, Environmental Restoration LLC was awarded the Region 4 emergency clean up contract in July of 2016 but I am not sure if that includes initial testing, or if EPA conducts that testing yourselves.

I may have more questions on down the road. I can tell you that our plan is to make sure the public gets accurate information.

Also, would you happen to have a pre-prepared statement about the Asheville CTS site or a timeline for clean-up?

Thank you.
Matt

On Thu, Jun 15, 2017 at 6:19 AM, Marraccini, Davina <Marraccini.Davina@epa.gov> wrote:

Matt,

Apologies for the delay in responding. What is your deadline?

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From: Matthew Berdyck [mailto:mberdyck@gmail.com]

Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2017 12:43 PM

To: Marraccini, Davina <Marraccini.Davina@epa.gov>

Subject: Wilmington

Hi,

My name is Matt. I am the editor for SuperfundResearch.org. We're doing a writing piece about the Gen X issue, pertaining to Erin Brockovich and Weitz & Luxenberg seemingly jumping the gun and organizing a lawsuit before the EPA and DEQ have fully reviewed the matter, which is something we have noticed those people doing all over the country.

Our interest, since we generate no funding from the US environmental debate, is making sure the public gets accurate information rather than alarmist rhetoric.

I have been able to locate quite a bit of information delivered through the media, about the EPA's current involvement, but I can't find an estimated date for when the EPA is going to make a determination about the safety of the water.

Our goal, once the EPA makes it's determination, is to make sure the local citizens have access to accurate information, rather than being told they are all going to die by someone who is a paid spokes person for a law firm.

We've faced a lot of backlash over our opposition of Erin, but we are the people that are going to stand up and fight her if she starts spreading disinformation about the matter. It would be nice to have some cooperation from Region 4.

Thanks,
Matt